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Honorable Katharine H. Parker United States Magistrate Judge United States District Court 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007 APPLICATION GRANTED

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Hon. Katharine H. Parker, U.S.M.J.

Re: <u>Travis Parker v. Comm'r of Soc. Sec.</u> 20 Civ. 8419 (VSB) (KHP)

Dear Judge Parker:

Pursuant to the schedule in the above-referenced Social Security case, the administrative record is due on May 21, 2021. We write respectfully to request, with the consent of plaintiff's counsel, that the time to file the record be extended for 60 days, until July 20, 2021. The reason for this request is the Social Security Administration needs more time to prepare the record. As a result of the pandemic SSA has had to redesign its business process to produce records remotely, and continues to face the challenges of addressing the backlog of thousands of records to produce as well as a significant increase in the number of new cases filed. Two prior adjournments have been granted in this case. We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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